

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Mark C. Long  
Application No. : 10/674,934  
Date of Filing : September 29, 2003  
Title : *SYSTEM AND METHOD OF MATCHING VEHICLE  
RATINGS USING A CENTRAL DATABASE*  
Confirmation No. : 5177  
Examiner : Myint, Dennis Y.  
TC/Art Unit : 2162  
USPTO Customer No. : 26707  
Attorney Docket No. : 111855.00003

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**REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

This is a Request pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) to correct inventorship of the above-captioned application to add DAVID M. DILGARD and ERIC L. BIERMAN as joint inventors, and thereby name MARK CHRISTOPHER LONG, DAVID M. DILGARD and ERIC L. BIERMAN as joint inventors of the above-captioned application. Both co-inventors were inadvertently and without deceptive intent excluded as inventors at the time of filing.

Attached herewith are the following documents in support of this Request:

1. Statements by DAVID M. DILGARD and ERIC L. BIERMAN indicating that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent on their part;

USPTO Serial Number: 10/674,934

Applicant(s): Mark Christopher Long

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2. Executed Declaration by MARK CHRISTOPHER LONG, DAVID M. DILGARD and ERIC L. BIERMAN, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.63; and

3. Statement by the Assignee, U-HAUL INTERNATIONAL, INC., (Assignment recorded at reel/frame 014575/0037) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) establishing a right to take action and consenting pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) to a change in inventorship as requested herein.

In view of the above remarks, acceptance of this Request is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due in connection with this Request to Deposit Account **17-0055**.

Respectfully submitted,  
**QUARLES & BRADY LLP**

October 22, 2007

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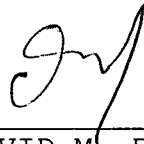
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Dear Sir:

I, DAVID M. DILGARD, declare and state:

I am a joint inventor in the above-identified patent application. My name was inadvertently omitted from the application as originally filed. The error in inventorship in the subject application occurred without deceptive intention on my part.



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DAVID M. DILGARD

*Sept. 6, 2007*  
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Dear Sir:

I, ERIC L. BIERMAN, declare and state:

I am a joint inventor in the above-identified patent application. My name was inadvertently omitted from the application as originally filed. The error in inventorship in the subject application occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

  
ERIC L. BIERMAN

*Sept. 6, 2007*  
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**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR  
DESIGN  
PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

☐ Declaration Submitted With Initial Filing      **OR**      ☒ Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (surcharge (37 CFR 1.16 (e)) required)

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| Examiner Name            | Myint, Dennis Y.      |

**I hereby declare that:**

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**System and Method of Matching Vehicle Ratings Using a Central Database**

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto**OR**☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) **09/29/2003** as United States Application Number or PCT InternationalApplication Number **10/674,934** and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) **09/28/2006** (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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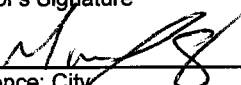
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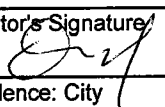
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
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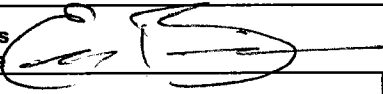
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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

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Dear Sir:

U-HAUL INTERNATIONAL, INC., a corporation organized under the laws of Nevada, and having a current business at 2721 N. Central Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona 85004, U.S.A., is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-captioned patent application. A Certificate under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) accompanies this Consent.

U-HAUL INTERNATIONAL, INC. hereby consents to correction of inventorship in the above-captioned application, adding DAVID M. DILGARD and ERIC L. BIERMAN as joint inventors.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the Assignee.

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Applicant(s): Mark Christopher Long

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Dated this 6th day of Sept., 2007.

U-HAUL INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Name: GEORGE DOE

Title: ASST. SECRETARY

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)**

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements

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Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, 2007.

U-HAUL INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Name: George R. Ode

Title: ASSF SECRETARY